

FIG. 1

Scheme 1. Synthesis of 2-carbomethoxy-3-arylbicyclo(3.2.1)octanes

Ar = $a. 3, 4-Cl_2C_6H_3$ b. 2-Naphthyl c. $4-FC_6H_4$ d. C_6H_5

Reagents: i) H_2SO_4 ; ii) LDA/THF, CNCOOCH₃; iii) NaN(TMS)₂, PhNTf₂; iv) ArB(OH)₂, Pd₂(dba)₃; v) Sml₂, CH₃OH

Scheme 2 Synthesis of 3-aryl-8-oxabicyclo[3.2.1]octanes

Reagents: i) $TiCl_4$. ii) $Na(TMS)_2N$, $Ph(Tf)_2N$, THF, -78°C. iii) $ArB(OH)_2$, Pd_2dba_3 , Na_2CO_3 , LiCl. iv) SmI_2 , Methanol, -78°C.

Scheme .3 Resolution of keto ester 3

Reagents: i) Na(TMS)₂N, (S)-Camphanic chloride or (R)-Camphanic chloride, THF, -78°C. ii) Hexane / CH₂Cl₂ (2:1), 0°C. iii) LiOH, THF, MeOH, H₂O.